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Edmond I. Bailey et al.

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.182

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The papers as originally filed in this application listed the order of the inventors as Edmond I. Bailey, Michael Payne and Jackie E. Smith. Each of the inventors requests that the order of the inventors be changed, and that the records hereafter reflect the order for the named inventors as Michael Payne, Jackie E. Smith and Edmond I. Bailey.

The petition fee in the amount of \$ 130.00 is being paid by the enclosed check. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Account No. 02-4345.

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